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1901

Trip to Yosemite from May 15 to June 21. Began watching the birds and with the aid of Bird Notes Afield by Chas. Keeler identified a few species:

Mountain Quail

- 1 Western Wood Pewee found building a nest near Smith's Ranch,

May 22, 1901. We hung hairs and parings of burlap on the tree and watched the birds take them and build them into the nest.

- 2 Blue Fronted Jay, Yosemite Valley.

- 3 Clarke's Nutcracker, Clouds' Rest.

A Flock ~~was~~ found feeding near the snow line below the summit.

1901

- 4 Louisiana Tanager - on trail to
Clouds' Rest.
 - 5 Hermit Warbler. seen at Hadg-
don's, May 24, 1901. Song -
Cherrie', Cherrie', Cherrie',
Chee, Chee, Chee.
 - 8 Black-throated Gray Warbler, June 4. (?)
 - 6 Western Bluebird, in Foothills
of Sierras.
 - 7 Ruby-crowned Kinglet - in little Yosemite
 - 9 Sierra Creeper. Yosemite Camp -
- Went to Pomona in October, 1901. when
papa was taken sick.

Mockingbird.

1902.

Berkeley

Bullock's Oriole Apr. 1902 - 1633 Arch St.

Brewer's Blackbird Spring 02. Colonies
nested on Kellogg Property

House Finch

Intermediate Sparrow March 1902.

Golden-crowned Sparrow - March 1902
Song noted.

Song Sparrow - Feb. 1902 - 3 different
songs noted.

California Towhee, May 1902.

Black-headed Grosbeak, Apr. 1902.

Lazuli Bunting - Canyons of Berkeley,
Summer 1902.

Yellow Warbler - Summer 1902

1902.

Summit

Spent a week in August at close
of summer school at Summit -
Camped about half way between
Summit and Donner Lake on
small stream. Thunder showers
nearly every day.

Mountain Chickadee - Song noted

Oct. - Identified Plain

1903

Berkeley - Identified the following:
Red-shafted Flicker - Spring

Anna Hummingbird March.

Bullocks' Oriole, Apr. 1903

Western Robin, May. 1903

Arkansas Goldfinch April.

Dwarf Hermit Thrush, Nov.

Western Chipping Sparrow, Apr. 24, 1903

Ruby-crowned Kinglet - Fall

^{Sierra}
~~Slate-colored~~ Junco Dec. 1903

California Bush-tit, Nov.

Spurred Towhee (S.F.)

Cedar waxwings - flocks seen in Feb.

Warbling Vireo, Spring.

Lutescent Warbler, April.

Audubon Warbler, Fall

Pileolated Warbler, April

Plain Titmouse, October

1903

Spent week following Charles Day
at Gold Run with Mrs. Whitney.
About the first of April the
Western Purple Martins took
possession of a bird box in
front of the hotel.

1903.

Took a trip with Mr. and Mrs. Ches. Keyes from Sonora to Lake Uru. James and I went ahead to Sonora got donkeys and supplies ready. When Mr. and Mrs. Keyes arrived a few days later we were ready to start on. Mr. Keyes was an ornithologist and helped me to identify a number of species -

Hairy Woodpecker - Sonora

White Headed Woodpecker - found nesting near Garduer's in June.

Red-Breasted Sapsucker -

Fallen Leaf Lake, July 1903

Williamson's Sapsucker Blooms, 1903

Pileated Woodpecker, Garduer's, June

1903 (Cont'd)

Sonora - to Lake Tahoe.

Lewis' Woodpecker, Tallac, July 1903

Western Night hawk, Bloods, 1903

Arkansas Kingbird, Robinson's Ferry
May 1903

Wright's Flycatcher - Gardner's June '03.

Purple Finch, Bloods, 1903

Western Lark Finch, near Sonora, May

White crowned Sparrow - found nest
at Bloods, on ground under
wild onions.

Western Chipping Sparrow; nesting at
Gardner's in ^{on} Cedar tree. Sat on
nest while I took picture.

1903 (cont'd)

Sonora - to Lake Tahoe

Sierra Juncos - abundant at Calaveras
Big Trees -
Thick-billed Fox Sparrow. Gardner's Junco
Loud vivacious song.

Green-tailed Towhee, Gardner's Junco.
Call - new, new-sep. Song vi-
vacious similar to Thick-billed
Sparrow.

Cliff Swallow - Blooms. June

Barn Swallow. Blooms' June

Violet-green Swallow - Ainslie's Ranch
June, 1903

Phainopepla, Vallecito, June, Mr.
Keyes was much surprised to
find them there. Found one that had
hung itself in a cherry tree.

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Fallen Leaf Lake June 26 H.

Pileolated Warbler, Redbreasted Sapsucker,
Lewis Woodpecker, Black Tern.

Mt. Tallac.

White-cr. Sparrow

Clark's Nutcracker

Mt. Bluebird.

1903 (cont'd)

Sonora to Lake Tahoe.

California Shrike - Sonora, May.

Audubon Warbler, Faith Valley, June
Also Gardner's.

Pileolated Warbler, Luther's Pass, July

Water Thrush, Beaver Creek, June

Slender-billed Nuthatch, Faith Valley, June

Plain Titmouse, Sonora, May

Western Gnatcatcher - Anola's Ranch
June, Nests found by Mr. H.

Mountain Blue Bird - on summit
of Mt. Tallac & elsewhere

List of birds seen at various places
on trip from Sonora to Lake Tahoe 1903

Sonora, May 24. ff. (revised 1917) ^(lost and found)

Bullock's Oriole, Blackheaded Grosbeak,
Greenbacked Goldfinch, Barn Swallow,
Plain Titmouse, House Finch, Brown
Toucan, Chipping Sparrow, Butcherbird,
Calaveras Woodpecker (female), Yellow
Warbler, Blue jays.

Robinson's Ferry - Western Kingbird

Arvola's Ranch. May 29-31.

Bullock's Oriole, Chipping Sparrow n. nest,
Ark. Kingbird, Brown Towhee, House Finch,
Grosbeak, Violet-green Swallow, Western
Gnatcatcher n. nest in oak tree,
Wood Pewee, Valley Quail.

Douglas Flat. May 31.

Phainopepla, Lazuli Bunting, Lark Sparrow,

Hermit Warbler near Averys.

Rock Wren " "

Thurber's Junco (Sierra) "

June 2. Big Trees. Calaveras. North Grove.
Western Tanager.

" Robin

Mt. Chickadee

Ruby-crowned Kinglet

White-headed Woodpecker - nest in burned

Stump on road to Gardner's - 8 ft. up -

Calaveras Trees. S. Grove June 6.

Found two nests of Sierra Junco
on ground. 4 eggs - speckled at
one end with reddish brown.

Gardner's - June 2-10. Sierra Hermit Thrush.

Thick-billed Sparrow, Green-tailed Towhee,

Red-breasted Sapsucker, Hermit Warbler

Calaveras Woodpecker, Chipping Sparrow
(over) 2 nests.

Yardens (cont'd)

Western Robin, Brewer's Blackbird, Pileated Woodpecker, Audubon Warbler, (^{Hummingbird} Flycatcher) Flycatcher - nest in fir tree 50 ft. from ground. Another Flycatcher - nest in Cottonwood on San Antonio Creek. Purple Finch, Red-tailed Hawk, Ruby-crowned Kinglet.

Blondo 7000 ft. June 12. Much Snow. coll.

Mt. Bluebirds - pair, nest. Chickadees & nest. Chipping Sparrows. Blue-fronted Jay, Ruby. Kinglet. Purple Finches (flock) Mt. Quail, White-crowned Sparrow. ~~see~~ Williamson Sapsucker, Green-tailed Towhee, Cliff Swallows. nest, Tree Swallows, Brown Creeper, Wood Pewee, Sierra Junco, egret. Western Tanager, Warbling Vireo, Red-tailed Hawk, Robin. Hermit Valley. June 21. 7000 ft.

Night Hawk, Spotted Sandpiper, Purple Finch, W. Tanager, Mt. Chickadee, Flicker.

Charity Valley 8000 ft. Clark's Nutcrackers.

Hope Valley 7200 ft. June 23. " " (on ridge)

Slender-billed Nuthatch, Calliope Hummingbird, Audubon Warbler, White-cr. Sparrow, Purple Finch.

Luther's Pass 8000 ft. June 24. Robins feeding young. R.C. Kinglet, Warbling Vireo, Sierra Junco, Wood Pewee, Pileated Warbler, Mt. Bluebirds, White-cr. Sparrow, Cross Blackbird, Cabanis Woodpecker, Black Tern.

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Monday 2243 Colton last Aug. 1903

1904

Jan. 2. Saw Brown Creeper.

Jan. 27.

Identified California Thrasher and
Vigors Wren. Found Thrashers
digging among dry leaves in can-
yon below Mr. Ribbers' house.

Jan. 30. Identified Western Winter Wren
in bottom of canyon near Dairy
barn.

Also Fox Sparrow.

Feb. 18. Identified song of Vigors' Wren.

Feb. 20. Went to Clema - Identified
Bittern in Marsh near Clema.
Also ~~Ardea~~ ^{Ardea} & Black Phoebe

Feb. 26. Clema - Rained all day - Walked as
far as we could in Bear Valley.

Identified Varied Thrush. Returned to
Berkeley.



1904

Feb. 25 Identified Allen's Hummingbird

Mar. 14. Many Anna Hummingbirds about

Mar. 15. Audubon Warbler singing -
Also Ruby crowned Kinglet -
Robin.

Mar. 23. Hermit Thrush sang full
- Clear song in our garden at
2243 College Ave.

Mar. 25. Heard warbling Vireo for
first time.

Kinglets still here. Also white
and golden crowned sparrows.

Mar. 31. Orioles here

Apr. 4. Heard Lutescent Warbler
House finches mating

1904

Apr. 5. Wrens building in Christy garden - nest in box on tree.
Watched Blue jays building
Townsend warblers heard singing

Apr. 6. Found bush-tits building nest in oak tree; ^{near experimental gardens} also found one picking up cotton in botanical gardens; also white feathers.
Juncos in flocks, singing. Sides very pink.

Lutescent warbler.

Townsend warblers in flock, singing, Weazy, weazy, weazy, weazy, break, break.

Knightlets, Audubon warblers gone?

Apr. 8.

Golden crowned Sparrow still here

1904

April 11. Identified Nuthatch -
(red breasted?)

Song of lutescent warbler.
sustained bill on three notes

Apr. 13. Identified Western Flycatcher

Apr. 15. Townsend warbler

Apr. 16. Heard Blackheaded Grosbeak -
first time this year.

Apr. 17. White and golden crowned Epanors
still here

Anna Humming birds nesting
second time

Apr. 21. James gave me Opera Glasses
and Mr. F. Merriam ^{Baird's} Handbook
of Northwestern Birds.

1904.

Apr. 25. Vireos building
Housefinches building
Goldfinches making
Rain.

Apr. 28. Found two nests of warbling
vireos being built.

May 2. Orioles rebuilding. Jeta Bai
boys must have taken first
nest. Female oriole searched
clothes on all lines in neigh-
borhood for threads. I hung strings
on the clotheslines which she
took.

May 3. Identified Russet Backed Thrush
Saw Pileolated Warblers. Anna Hummers
gathering silky web spiders line nest

1904.

May 3 (contin).

Birds seen:

- 1 Golden crowned Sparrow - one
- 2 Western Flycatcher
- 3 House Finch
- 4 Warbling Vireo
- 5 Bullock's Oriole
- 6 Anna Hummingbird
- 7 Rufous Hummingbird
- 8 Song Sparrow
- 9 Bush-tit
- 10 Plain Tit.
- 11 Brewer Black bird.
- 12 Black-headed Grosbeak
- 13 Brown Towhee
- 14 Oregon Towhee
- 15 Russet-backed Thrush
- 16 Pileolated Warbler
- 17 Green-backed Goldfinch
- 18 Lutescent Warbler

1904

May 8. Went out to Mt. View Cemetery
Saw Allen Hummingbird trying
to drive away large lizard from
nest in a rose bush. Two tiny
birds in the nest - little brown
fuzzy balls.

May 14. Went on picnic to Temescal
Lake. Prof. Buckham and family,
Mrs. Vincent and family and myself
Saw many birds - thrashers among
them. Identified song of purple
finch.

List revised Jan. 1917.

Birds seen on trip to Crocker's + Hitch.

Hitchy Valley. Summer 1904.

Lathrop - Noon May 27.

^{Large} Vesper Sparrow, Green backed Goldfinch

Ark. Kingbird, House Finch, Bul. Oriole

Ing. Sparrow,

Modesto. May 28, 29.

Greenb. Goldfinch, Willow Goldfinch,

House finch, Bullock's Oriole (abundant)

Spurred Towhee, Black-h. Grosbeak,

Calif. Jay, Long-tailed Chat (near river)

Cal. Shrike, Parkman Wren, Mourning Dove,

Bush tit, Ark. Kingbird, Black Phoebe,

Paleolated Warbler, Western Tanager (migrating)

Brewer's Blackbird, Dark Sparrow (Vesper?)

Cal. Woodpecker (near Oakdale) Meadow Lark.

Jacksonville to Hughes. May 31.

Mourning Dove, Canyon Wren, Ark. Kingbird

Housefinch (building) Bullock Oriole,

Red-shafted Flicker (continued on second page)

1904.

For a summer trip we went by train ^{May 27} to Modesto intending to buy there two donkeys. We succeeded in finding only one with the aid of Mr. Wm Crittenden.

James and I both started out in the late afternoon but the weather was so very hot that I backed out. We walked about four miles to a deserted ranch house where we left our pack and returned to Modesto for the night.

We noticed great numbers of Mourning Doves and Orioles about the deserted ranch house.

The next morning James started out early by himself to make the trip to Chinese Camp where I

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(Jacksonville to Hughes (contin.))

Phainopepla. Marbling Vireo.
Brown Towhee, Yellow Warbler.
Black Phoebe, Barn Swallow,
Green b. Goldfinch, Wood Pewee
Plain Titmouse, Killdeer, Black-headed Grosbeak
Lark Sparrow (Jaeger?)

Big Lake Flat June 1.

Black-throated Gray Warbler.

Canyon Wren.

2nd Harvester.

Western Bluebird, Ash-throated Flycatcher
Brown Creeper (building)

Big Creek June 2.

Chipping Sparrow, Brown Towhee, Spurred Towhee
W. Robin, Bl. h. Grosbeak, W. Tanager, Yellow Warbler
Pied-billed Warbler, Valley Quail, W. Vireo, Bush-tit.
Wood Pewee, Mourning Dove, Green b. Goldfinch.
Cal. Thrasher, Black Phoebe - W. Flycatcher,
Lawrence Goldfinch, Meadow Lark, Wren (?)
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1904

was to meet him later in the week
going by train to Chinese Camp -
I spent the intervening days at
Modesto watching the birds.

Found Willow Goldfinches abundant
Long-tailed Chat - singing in top of tree
near the river. Records lost.

May 27 - Red-winged Blackbird, Minard.
Western Lark sparrow - Larkspur.

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Smith's Station - June 3.

Black Phoebe - family

Meadow Lark

Colfax Toll House.

Heard House. Saw Bullock's Oriole on
return trip, June 25.

Hardins. June 4.

Canyon Wren.

Croakers. June 4-28.

Warbling Vireo, Robin, Lawrence Goldfinch, Green b.
Goldfinch, Wood Pewee. Hermit Thrush (Sierra)

Sierra juncos - eggs hatched June 8. Nest empty June 19.

Mt. Quail, Mt. Chickadee, Chipping Sparrow.

Cal. Purple Finch, Grosbeak, Tanager, Sierra Creeper.

Red-tailed Hawk, Rough-winged Swallow, Hermit

Warbler, Blue-fronted Jay, Water Angel, (Olive-sided

Flycatcher, Black-throated Gray Warbler, Spurred

Junco, Brewer's Blackbird, Western Bluebird,

Slender-billed Nuthatch, Audubon Warbler (Contin. on 2nd p.)

1904.

I met James at Chinese Camp and we walked from there together to Crocker's. A donkey carries the pack. Only first identifications (with a few exceptions) were recorded.

Lawrence Goldfinch - Big Creek, June
Lark Finch - common thro' foothills -
Phainopepla - several seen near
Hughes which is in much
the same zone as Vallecito
where we found them last year.
Black-throated Gray Warblers were
seen from Big Oak Flat on.
Canyon Wrens were singing at
Hardins - They were nesting
in a deserted house.

Lynx were about every settlement
but were seldom seen between

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Crocker's (Contn.)

Pine Siskin, Lazuli Bunting, Yellow
Warbler, Pileolated Warbler, Mourning Dove,
Red-shafted Flicker, Barn Swallows, Toline
Warbler, Calliope Hummer), Gardners
Woodpecker, ~~Calvin~~ (2) Purple Finch,
Cassins Vireo, Western Flycatcher,
Red-breasted Sapsucker.

1914.

June - Crockers' (Seymour R.R.)

We established a permanent camp at Crockers. Mr. and Mrs. Buckham and family established camp nearby. Prof. and Mrs. Richardson were at the Inn. Also Dr. Bacon and Dr. McCallum. I found about sixty birds near Crockers but records seem to have disappeared. First identifications follow:

Red-tailed Hawk

Bald Eagle

Haendner's Woodpecker

Olive-sided Flycatcher (see note fol.)

Blue-fronted Jay.

Pine Siskin

Bank Swallow - In volume River Bank

Cassin's Vireo - abundant (see note)

1904.

June - Crocker (Sequoia P.O.)

Mac Gillivray Warbler

Water Angel - Tuolumne River

Audubon Hermit Thrush - Heard.

Purple Finches were abundant and
in full song.

The Olive-sided Flycatcher had two
perches near our camp. On one
he always gave the call-pee-hee.
On the other pu-pip; pu-pip-pip.
I thought at first that it must be
two different birds as I never
found him interchanging the
calls on the separate perches
nor combining both on the same
perch. After I came back to
Berkeley, I found one bird giving
both calls.

1904,

June - Crocker (Siquia)

Cassins' Vireo was very abundant.

Its song sounds something
as if it were saying -

"Mamie, Mamie, come here
quick" - and when repeated
every few minutes grew rather
monotonous.

We had a splendid opportunity to
compare the songs of the Black-
headed Grosbeak and Robin, both
of which had nests near by.

Unless one could distinguish
the thrush quality in the robin's
song it would be difficult
to be sure always which was

which. (Fuller notes found later given
on odd pages back)

1904.

July -

Identified the
Cal. Chickadee in Muir Woods.

1905

European Trip.

Steamship Haverford, American
Line, Philadelphia to Liverpool.

May 24 - 24.

Birds seen during voyage:

May ~~21~~, 15, 16. Stormy Petrel

May 21. English House Martin, blown
in by storm but perished.

May 23. 1 Curlew, 1 Stonechat, Gulls.

May 24. Many Gulls, Murres.

Mr. F. M. Chapman and wife on
board. Mr. C. loaned me Hudson's
"British Birds" - Longman, Green, Co.

May 24 - Landed at Liverpool. Spent
day in Chester. Arrived about
6 P.M. at Stratford. Took walk along
river. Heard many song-birds.

Saw Rooks, Heard Cuckos.

1905

May 27-31 Oxford.

Saw Rooks, English Robin Red-breasts, Black Thrushes, Throats, Greenfinches, Chaffinches.

Holland

June 9. Saw storks and nest in little village near Rijnsdorp. Nest on top of small church. Innumerable sparrows, English, had nests in sides of storks nest.

June 11. Saw storks in field and flying over. Cormorants on the canal catching eels. When it had caught the eel, the cormorant would toss the eel into the air until it could get it into such a position that it would go straight down the throat.

1905

Holland

June 11 (cont.)

Saw petrel trying to catch fish.

Saw wren by edge of canal. Heard often a bird trying to sing in marsh grass. Song very unmusical - a combination of a frogs song and horse fiddle. Artist at pension assured me it was a nightingale.

Göttingen.

July. June 20. Gebhardt's Hotel - 4 Finches hopped about garden tables picking up crumbs.

July. Saw and heard Skylark, near Göttingen

Often saw Chit-Chat, Black Thrush

1905

July, Göttingen. (contin)

Throstle and Finches.

Black Thrush and Throstle
both wonderful songsters.
Throstle's song more varied
but Black Thrush's more
liquid and exquisite - They
often seemed to vie with
each other in Fräulein
Schlöte's garden.

Munich.

Sept. 1905 - Feb. 1906.

Hundreds of pigeons

English sparrows everywhere

Nov. 14.

"I have been surprised to find
black thrushes and finches still here.
I wonder if they do not migrate"
Orán. A.S.A.

1905.

Italy.

Feb. 1 - May 18.

Saw hundreds of birds, small song birds in markets but few in the bushes.

May 7. Naples.

Took a long, beautiful walk to Calmaldoli. Most beautiful flowers and trees along much of the way. As we walked home in the late afternoon, nightingales, dozens of them ~~were~~ singing in a little canyon filled with yellow broom and alpine violets. I have heard no bird song that will compare with that of the nightingale in variety, liquid beauty, emotional quality or richness.

1906

Returned to Berkeley in July following the San Francisco earthquake of Apr. 18, 1906.

Sept. 25. Campus filled with Intermediate Sparrows

Oct. 18. Spent an hour in Co-ed Canyon.

Saw 1 Brown Towhee

- 2 Spurred Towhees
- 3 English Sparrows
- 4 Song Sparrow
- 5 Blue Jays
- 6 Parkman House Wren
- 7 Bush-tits
- 8 Ruby-crowned Kinglets (first time this fall)
- 9 Red-shafted Flicker
- 10 Townsend Warbler (female)
- 11 Hummingbird, Anna's
- 12 Slender-billed Nuthatch (first time)
- 13 Meadow Lark
- 14 Linnet

1906

Oct. 15. Audubon Warblers returned -
in Eucalyptus trees at I. 4.

16. Alaska Hermit Thrush on
clover lawn in back yard

18. Parkman Wren

Blue jay

Intermediate Sparrow

Ruby-crowned Kinglet

Red-shafted Flicker

Linnat

Junco, Sierra (first time this fall)

Crested Tit

Cal. Towhee

Ark. Goldfinch

Spurred Towhee

Wren-tit

Song Sparrow

Alaska Hermit Thrush

Brush Tit

1906

Oct. 24.

Saw Western Black Phoebe.

Dec. 1. Varied Robin (seen by James,

3. " " " " self on

Woolsey Creek on campus. Very tame.

Digging with their bills among dead

leaves. Wades into brook where

~~they scratched with their feet and~~

picked up food found with their bills.

Also eating Cal. holly berries

1907.

Jan. 24. Cedar Waxwings.

Jan. ? Varied Thrush.

Feb. 13. Allen Hummingbirds,
first spring migrants.

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Mar. 21. Lutescent Warbler. (1st time)

28. Western Flycatcher "

29. Warbling Vireo "

Date ? Chipping Sparrow "

Bullock's Oriole "

House Finch

May 17, Western Lark Sparrow in
Berkeley Hills, carrying ma-
terials for nest.

(Later - 1916. Am quite sure this
was a Vesper Sparrow as the breast
was streaked)

1907

Spent ten days, July 20-30 at Summit (Donner P. C.) - altitude 7000 ft.

Saw following birds

1. Sooty Grouse
2. Western Night Hawk, July 26. Found female and two young on rocks above Lake Angelina - So perfectly protected ^{by color} that I could not find them although James told me they were there. Took photograph. A few days later we went up at dusk and as we neared the nesting site the old birds swooped down from above within a foot or two of our ears.

1907

Donner - July 20-30. (contin)

3. Belted Kingfisher, on Lake

Ugala, July 26.

4. Gairdner Woodpecker

5. Williamson Sapsucker, male & female

6. Red-shafted Flicker. Decorated nest

one of the first days, high up in
a pine tree that had been killed
by the extension of Lake Angelina
to the west. Old birds were feeding
young. A few days later we
heard the incessant calls of
the young nearer our camp.
One of the last days of our outing
I came upon a family of
flickers feeding in the tamarack
pines across the dam on Lake
Angelina. Watched one young bird

907

Donner July 20-30 (contin)

as it scrambled up the back of
a Tamarack, making a great
noise and evidently working very
hard. After a few moments
it flew across to a
dead pine near by and
crept into a little pocket
formed by a branch which
curved back to the main
trunk and rested quietly there
for about five minutes, after
which it returned to its work.



7. Red-breasted Sapsucker.
8. Humming Bird (Calliope?).
9. Olive-sided Flycatcher
10. Western Wood Pewee

1907

Donner - July 20-30 (contin)

11. Blue-fronted Jay
12. Clark Nutcracker
13. Pine Grosbeak July 28 on shoulder of Mt Lincoln -
14. Purple Finch (Cassin?)
15. Pine Siskin
16. White-crowned Sparrow
17. Western Chipping Sparrow
18. Thick billed Sparrow.
19. Sierra Junco.
20. Green-tailed Towhee
21. Louisiana Tanager
22. Tree Swallow
23. Cliff Swallow
24. Warbling Vireo
25. Cassin Vireo
26. Audubon Warbler
27. Pileolated Warbler

1907

Donner. July 20-30.

28. Calaveras Warbler
29. MacGillivray Warbler
30. Rock Wren (first identification) (2)
31. Slender-billed Nuthatch -
32. Mountain Chickadee
33. ^{Sierra} ~~unidentified~~ Hermit Thrush
34. Western Robin
35. Mountain Bluebird.

1907.

Berkeley - Fall migrants -

Sept. 19. Intermediate Sparrow

" 29 Golden-crowned Sparrow

" 29. Townsend Warbler

Oct. 6. Ruby-crowned Kinglet

" 6. Audubon Warbler (in high hills)

" 16. Alaska Hermit Thrush

" 30. Sierra Junco -

Nov. 5. Western Robin

Identified Sparrow Hawk, Berkeley

1908

Jan. 2. Identified Rufous Crowned
Sparrow on University Hill
near Frenchman's house.

Mar. 16. Fox Sparrow

Museum of Natural Zoology, opened -
with Dr. Joseph Grinnell as curator.

Sooty Grackle

Plumed Partridge

Mourning Dove Lake Sphalium

Sparrow Hawk

Red-shafted Flicker

Red-breasted Sapsucker

White-headed Woodpecker

Western Night Hawk

— Hummingbird

Water Thrush

Olive-sided Flycatcher

Western Wood Pewee

Blue-fronted Jay

Red-wing Blackbird

Western Meadowlark

California Parula Finch

Western Chipping Sparrow

Savina Grackle

Immigrant Yip
 Parakeet
 1908

White-throated Sparrow
 Spotted Towhee
 Black-headed Grosbeak
 Lazuli Bunting
 Western Tanager
 Foxglove
 Western Warbling Vireo

Cassin's Vireo
 Yellow Warbler
 Audubon " "
 Hermit " "
 Pilchard
 Calaveras " "
 McMillan " "
 Western Western Vireo
 Sierra Tanager
 Slender-billed Nuthatch
 Mt. Chickadee

Mount Hooded Thrush
 Audubon Hermit " "
 Western Robin
 Western Bluebird

1908

Lived at Mr. Riebert's, 15 Canyon
Road, during March (latter half),
April, and May -

Apr. ? Saw Willow Goldfinches in B. hills.

Apr. 16. Young bush-tit was
brought to me by one of Dorothy
Riebert's friends. The children
helped me feed it that after-
noon and the next morning
till school time. About ten

o'clock I took the little bird
in my hand into the garden
to find food when I heard
a flock of bush-tits in the
oak tree near by. They began
to answer the calls of the bird
in my hand, so I put him
down on the wall and retired

1968

Apr. 16 (contin.)

behind a lattice. The parents of the other birds began immediately to bring food to the little orphan. But the day was cold and rainy and the little bird evidently missed the warmth of my hand. I put the bird in a protected place on a hot water bottle and revived him from sort of a stupor. Again the adopted parents returned but it was in vain. After school the children again began to feed it large worms they found on some weeds near by. When I returned from an afternoon engagement the bird was dead.

1908.

May. While we were spending most of the time at Mr. Riebers we were back and forth every day to 2243 College Ave. A pair of Western Flycatchers built a nest in a fern frond which hung about six feet from the front door and only about two feet from the light on the front porch, but below the light.

May 17 - The set of four eggs was complete.

May 20. James and I went to Pacific Grove where we spent five days with Mr. and Mrs. Richardson. We

1908

May 20-25

took a long walk each day through the woods and along the beach, one day going as far as Point Lobos, after staying to Carmel. Saw the following birds.

1. Brandts Cormorant
2. ~~Surf Birds~~ (?) Sanderling
3. Curlew
4. Kildeer with young. Old birds tried race of broken wing.
5. Spotted Sandpiper ?
6. Buzzard
7. Red-tailed Hawk
8. Valley Quail (heard)
9. Cal Bluejay.
10. Steller Jay (heard)

1908

May 20-25 (contin.)

11. Barn Swallow
12. Tree Swallow
13. Anna Hummingbird
14. Mourning Dove
15. Western Meadowlark
16. Mexican Horned Lark
17. Raven ?
18. Red winged Blackbird
19. Brewer Blackbird.
20. Red shafted Flicker.
21. Gairdner Woodpecker
22. California Woodpecker
23. Black-headed Flycatcher ? (Black)
24. Western Wood Pewee
25. Western Flycatcher
26. White-crowned Sparrow
27. Song Sparrow

1908

May 20-25 (contin.)

28. House Finch -

Albino House Finch seen at
Monterey, out toward Mission

29. English Sparrow (not numerous)

30. Chipping Sparrow

31. Spurred Towhee (heard)

32. California Purple Finch.

33. Arkansas Goldfinch

34. Willow "

35. Lawrence "

36. Pine Siskin.

37. Lazuli Bunting

38. Pt. Pinos Junco

39. Warbling Vireo

40. Vigors Wren

41. Parkman House Wren

42. Pileolated Warbler

1908

May 20-25 (contin)

- 43. Pygmy Nuthatch
- 44. Russet-backed Thrush
- 45. Western Bluebird
- 46.

Flocks of Shearwaters were
seen ^{near} on surface of water
out beyond end of pier;
thousands they seemed, passing
for hours.

1908

May 30 - June 20, Bear Valley - (alt. 4500)

Camped with Dorothy Rieber
and two of her friends at Bear
Valley near Emigrant Gap -

Saw following birds:

1. Mountain Quail
2. Meadow Lark
3. Red-winged Blackbird
4. Red-shafted Flicker
5. Red-breasted Sapsucker
6. Sierra Junco
7. Thick-billed Fox Sparrow.
8. Black-headed Grosbeak
9. Spurred Towhee
10. Western Chipping Sparrow
11. Brown Creeper
12. White-headed Woodpecker
13. Sparrow Hawk.

1908

May 30 - June 20(?) Bear Valley -

14. Water Angel
15. Blue-fronted Jay
16. Louisiana Tanager
17. Tree Swallow (?)
18. Olive-sided Flycatcher
19. Western Wood Pewee
20. Logani Bunting
21. Warbling Vireo
22. Cassin Vireo
23. Mountain Chickadee
24. Slender-billed Nuthatch
25. Green-backed Goldfinch
26. White-crowned Sparrow
27. Western Robin
28. Audubon Hermit Thrush
29. Western Bluebird
30. Russet-backed Thrush.

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May 30 - June 20 (?) Bear Valley

31. Western Winter Wren
with young fledged, June 4.
32. Pileolated Warbler
33. Yellow Warbler
34. Calaveras Warbler
35. MacGillivray Warbler
36. Audubon Warbler
37. Hermit Warbler
38. Hawks
39. Sooty Grouse
40. Greentailed Towhee
41. Night Hawk
42. Purple Finch

1908

July - Saw Western Winter Wren
in Muir Woods.

Aug. 2. Western Gnatcatcher in
Mill Valley.

Aug. 18. Saw Louisiana Tanager
in Berkeley. in garden
at 2243 College Ave

Aug. 20. Saw Belted Kingfisher in
early morning at 2243 College Ave.
Remained for about half an hour.
The next morning Mr. Cheney found
one of his goldfish dead with a
wound in the side.

Oct. 20. Identified Golden-crowned
Kinglet on Hillside Ave. in oak
trees by the bridge.

1909.

James T. Allen Jr. born March. 21-

1910.

Went to Skylands for three days
in July.

July. Saw Stellar Jay near
Greek Theater

Dec. 27. Identified Pipit in
garden on Haste St. above
College Ave

1911.

~~Moved to Mosserwood Road, Oct. 1.~~

Noted early spring arrivals as follows:

Mar. 14. Allen Hummingbird
Cliff Swallow

Mar. 23 Lutescent Warbler

Mar. 27. Pileolated Warbler
Parkman's House Wren

Mar. 30. Warbling Vireo

Apr. 1. Western Flycatcher

Apr. 6. Bullock Oriole

Apr. 15. Russet-backed Thrush

Apr. 18. Black-headed Grosbeak

Apr. 21. Yellow Warbler.

1881

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1911

Oct. 1. Moved to Moswood Road.
No English Sparrows. So began
throwing out crumbs for the
birds. The feeding ground is
on the hillside as it slopes
up immediately in front of
the dining room window.

The following birds soon began
to feed regularly -

Song Sparrows, Blue jays,
Fox Sparrows, Cal. Towhees,
Spurred Towhees, Wren-tits,
Thrashers, 1. Vigors Wren.

Varied Thrushes abundant in woods below house.
On the open hillside below are many
flocks of White & Golden-crowned Sparrows.
Also many Rufous-crowned Sparrows.

1912.

Notes following spring arrivals:

Mar. 25. Warbling Vireo

30. Pileolated Warbler

Apr. 13. Bullock Oriole

Black-headed Grosbeak

May 7. Went up to Grizzly with James. In great jutting rocks near trail to south of Grizzly saw three Great Horned Owls.

About May 14. Went to Los Angeles for a month. Saw few birds for it was a new tree-less region.

1912.

Los Angeles, May 14(?) - June 14(?)

1. Sea Gulls seen often though 10 mi
from ocean.
2. Turkey Buzzards, common,
often seen on ground.
3. Horned Larks, heard often in sky.
4. Mocking birds, common
5. Meadow Larks, very common
6. Butcher Bird - one.

Open rolling land just opened
for settlement. Thousands of
squirrels. Very few trees.

1912.

Pomona, June 14[?] - 21(23)

Spent about a week in Pomona.

Saw following birds:

1. Sparrow Hawk
2. Swallow.
3. Black Phoebe
4. Brewer Blackbird - common
on mainstreets.
5. Mourning Dove
6. Bullock Oriole
7. Cal. Shrike
8. Cal. Towhee
9. Black-headed Grosbeak
10. House Finch
11. Song Sparrow
12. Chipping Sparrow
13. Ark. Goldfinch
14. Lawrence Goldfinch
15. Anna Hummingbird
16. Cal. Bush-tit
17. Yellow Warbler
18. Mockingbird
19. Phainopepla

1912.

Sept. 15. Saw flocks of Black-throated Gray Warblers feeding in oak trees near house. Often mixed or accompanied by flocks of vireos, warbling. They remained several days. Many showed no black on throat.

1912

~~Early ^{fall} arrivals noted:~~

Sept. 22. Saw Western Gnatcatcher
near Mosswood Road. Heard
him about Oct. 1. last year
but did not see him so could
not make sure I was right.

Early fall arrivals noted:

- Sept. 15. Cal. Woodpecker
- Sept. 16. Intermediate Sparrow.
- Sept. 26. Ruby-crowned Kinglet
- Oct. 1. Townsend Warbler
- Oct. 3. Golden-crowned Kinglet
- Oct. 4. Dwarf Hermit Thrush
- Oct. 6. Golden crowned Sparrow
- Oct. 12. Fox Sparrow
- Oct 15. Audubon Warbler
- Oct. 17. Sierra Junco
- Nov. 14. Western Robin

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- Sept. 26. Heard Ruby Crowned Kinglet in tree near Torrey's.
- Oct. 1. Saw what seems to be Black-bur-
man Warbler. Had no black on
throat and back; had very
little yellow for Townsend Warbler.
Alone in oak tree near my
bedroom window about ten
feet away. (Probably Townsend)
- Oct. 3. Walked through bottom of
Canyon to University. Saw Black-
^{Phoebe}headed Flycatcher. Heard many
Ruby-crowned Kinglets; also Golden-
crowned Kinglets. Flock of latter
near Greek Theater.



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Oct. 4. Saw following birds:

- 1 Sparrow Hawk
- 2 Red-tailed Hawk
- 3 Anna Hummingbird
- 4 Wren Tit
- 5 Vigors Wren
- 6 Brown Towhee
- 7 Spurred Towhee
- 8 Red-shafted Flicker
- 9 White-crowned Sparrow
- 10 Song Sparrow
- 11 Ruby-crowned Kinglet
- 12 Golden-crowned Kinglet
- 13 Western Gnatcatcher (heard)
- 14 Blue Jay Cal
- 15 Bush-tit.
- 16 Hermit Thrush (first time this fall)

Jennie (2 1/2 yrs. old) found Vigors Wren in Sycil Peas against window.

1912

Oct. 5. James built temporary drinking fountain for birds.

Oct. 12. Spent morning in hills with Mrs. Serens Clark. Saw several hawks close at hand but could not be sure of species - not red-tails.

Saw flock of Willow Goldfinches in sober coloring - soft pinkish yellow and brown with bright yellow wing bars.

Saw or heard following birds.

- 1 Calif. Quail
- 2 Red-shafted Flicker
- 3 Flycatcher (species?)
- 4 Steller Jay
- 5 Cal. Jay
- 6 Spurred Towhee
- 7 Anna Hummingbird

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Oct. 12. (Contn.)

8. California Towhee
9. White-crowned Sparrow
10. Golden-crowned Sparrow
11. Rufous-crowned Sparrow
12. Song Sparrow
13. Fox Sparrow (first time this fall)
14. Linn. Tit
15. Purple Finch
16. Ark. Goldfinch
17. Willow Goldfinch
18. ~~Crested~~ ^{Plain} Titmouse
19. Ruby-crowned Kinglet
20. Golden-crowned Kinglet
- 21. Western Gnatcatcher
22. Vigors Wren
23. Intermediate Wren-tit
24. California Thrasher
25. California Bush-tit

1912

Oct. 12 (contin)

- 26. Dwarf Hermit Thrush
- 27 Black Phoebe
- 28. Meadow Lark.

Oct. 13. The birds are becoming accustomed to the drinking fountain. Saw near it at one time this A.M.

Cal. Towhee (Brown)

^{San F.}
~~Spotted~~ Towhee (Spotted)

Golden-crowned Sparrow (just out of bath)

Song Sparrow

Hermit Thrush

Cal. Jay.

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Dec. 25.

As I passed a flock of white & golden-crowned sparrows this morning they all flew away except one which proved to be neither white crowned nor golden-crowned. Was larger, streaked on shoulders and scapulars and had black spots on white breast.

Dec. 28. Saw same bird again in same place. Telephoned Mr. Grinnell about it. From my description he thought it must be a Harris Sparrow, which is very rare - only two records in state.

Dec. 30. Saw sparrow again. It has a black line on either side of the throat and the top of the head is

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Dec 30.

indistinctly speckled. Went to Museum to examine specimens. One Harris sparrow in winter coloring is exactly like this bird.

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Feb. 7. Have seen the same bird at intervals of about a week, whenever I have had time to look for him. Today he was down in the grass scratching. At other times he has been eating grain dropped from the work horses' grain bags. Workmen have gone away now.

Feb. 11. Saw Harris Sparrow again. General coloring lighter than Intermediate, ~~Plattdale~~ or Golden-crown. Sides white - bill larger, deeper yellow. Often last of flock to fly when alarmed and first to return.

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Feb. 11. (contin.)

to feeding ground when feed is clear
often snaps at other sparrows if
they are in his way -

Feb. 22. Failed to find the flock of
sparrows today. Men have
been clearing away and burn-
ing the brush on the hillsides
and horses have not been
tethered as before, so food
supply ~~is~~ and cover^{have} are both
become scarce. Put out bird
seed but could not attract them
back.

Feb. 24.

Allen Hummingbird (first time 1913)

1913

March 1. Went to Golden Gate Park
with Mr. Bryant's Bird Class.
Left on 7:20 Key Route Train, reaching
park about 8:45. Saw following
list of birds. * marks species
identified for first time.

On bay.

- * Glaucous-winged Gull
- * Western Gull

On pond at Haight St. Entrance:

- * Mandarin Duck (imported)
- * Mallard Duck
- * Puddy Duck
- * Coot (mud-hen)

1913.

March 1. Golden Gate Park (contin.)

In shrubbery:

Intermediate Sparrow

Anna Hummingbird

Plain Titmouse

Spurred Towhee

Song Sparrow

Nuttall Sparrow

Allen Hummingbird (abundant)

Dwarf Hermit Thrush

Western Robin

Pine Siskins (several flocks)

Purple Finch

Silver Pheasants (imported)

Cal. Quail

Cal. Bush-tit.

Audubon Warblers

Vigors Wren

Peacocks.

19/3.

Black Phoebe

Santa Cruz Chickadee

Golden-crowned Kinglet.

1913

March 1. Golden Gate Park (contin)

In Aviary:

Barn Owl

American Goshawk (N. Cal)

Great Horned Owl

Bald Eagle

Golden Eagle

Mountain Quail

Linnets (red turned to yellow in ^{twnty} cage)

English Skylark

Rock Pigeons

Fantail Pigeons

Ring-necked Doves

Mourning Dove

Blue Java Sparrow (imported)

White Java Sparrow "

1913.

March 1. Golden Gate Park (contin)

Storn Lake :

- * Lesser Scaup
- * Canada Goose
- * Snow Goose
- * White Pelicans
- * Black Swans (pinioned)
- * White-fronted Goose
- * Pied-billed Grebe
- * Buffle-Head
- * Baldpate (Widgeon)

Total.

Native birds	39
New species	13
Grand Total	49

1913.

March 11.

Took a walk in the canyon with Mrs. Worcester, wife of the nephew of Dr. W. of the Swedenborgian Church.

Saw for the first time this season:

Rufous Hummingbird
Lutescent Warbler.

Many Ruby-crowned Kinglets were singing. Also Thrashers. Heard one Golden-crowned Sparrow.

Saw White Crowned sparrow but no adult males.

Full list:

1. Cal. Jay.
2. Eng. Sparrow
3. Brewer Blackbird
4. Robin



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March 11. (contin)

5. Thrashers
6. Song Sparrows
7. White-crowned Sparrows
8. Golden-crowned "
9. Spurred Towhee
10. California "
11. Fox Sparrow
12. Vigors Wren
13. Int. Wren-tit
14. Bush-tits (~~no~~ flocks)
15. Ruby-crowned Kinglets
16. Golden " "
17. Varied Thrush
18. Huttons Vireo
19. Lutescent Warbler
20. Anna Hummingbird
21. Allen "
22. Rufous "

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March 11 (contin)

23. Townsend Warbler

24. Red-tailed Hawk

25. Black Phoebe

Mar. 31. Pileolated Warbler (first time 1913)

Apr. 8. Western Flycatcher (first time 1913)

Apr. 9. Cliff Swallow - (first time 1913)

Apr. 10. Juncos still here.

Heard Oriole

Saw Red-breasted Sapsucker.

Golden-crowned Sparrows here

Also Fox Sparrow

Apr. 13. Yellow Warbler, first time 1913)

Apr. 14. Black-headed Grosbeak (first time 1913)

Apr. 19. Warbling Vireo (first time 1913)

Apr. 21 - Took walk from Museum

through canyon to our house.

Warm bright morning.

Found one Myrtle Warbler in oak tree at corner of museum.

Saw following birds on way home:

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Apr. 21. (contin.)

1. Cal. Quail
2. Red-shafted Flicker
3. Anna Hummingbird
4. Allen Hummingbird
5. Western Wood Pewee (first time 1913)
6. Western Flycatcher
7. Calif. Jay
8. Stellar Jay
9. Meadow Lark
10. Bullock Oriole
11. Purple Finch
12. House Finch
13. Oak Goldfinch
14. Nuttall Sparrow
15. Golden-crowned Sparrow
16. Song Sparrow
17. Spurred Towhee
18. Cal. Towhee

Apr. 24. Lazuli Bunting (first time 1913)

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Apr. 21 (contin.)

19. Blackheaded Grosbeak (full song)

20. Cliff Swallow

21. Warbling Vireo

22. Lutescent Warbler

23. Myrtle Warbler

24. Pileolated Warbler

25. Cal. Thrasher

26. Vigors Wren

27. Parkman's Wren (first time 1913)

28. Wren tit

29. Cal. Bush-tit

30. Plain Titmouse

← 31. Russet-backed Thrush (first time 1913) (not singing)

Apr. 26. Took walk up the hill, along Titus road to the head of the canyon, then down thro' bottom of canyon. Saw no Fox Sparrows

Have seen none since Apr. 24.
Saw Willow Goldfinches in bunch on hillside.
Golden crowned Sparrows here but not abundant.

Summary of Earliest dates of Summer Visitors - 1913-

Allen Hummingbird	Feb. 24 - Abundant	Mar. 1	
Western Flycatcher	Apr. 8	Lazuli Bunting	Apr. 24
Bullock Oriole	Apr. 10	Olive-sided Flycatcher	May 14
Black-headed Grosbeak	Apr. 14	Louisiana Tanager	May 8 - heard
Cliff Swallow	Apr. 9	Mackinac Warbler	May 11
Western W. Vireo	Apr. 19		
Lutescent Warbler	Mar. 11		
Cal. Yellow Warbler	Mar. 31 Apr. 13		
Cal. Pileolated "	Mar. 31		
Western House Wren	Apr. 21		
Russet-backed Thrush	Apr. 21		
Rufous Hummingbird	Mar. 11		
W. Wood Pewee	Apr. 21		
Willow Goldfinch	Apr. 26		

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May 8.

Heard Louisiana Tanager in trees
near house (?)

May 11. Heard MacGillivray Warbler
in oak trees near O'Connor Cottage

May 15. Attended Cooper Club.

Mr. Hunter - Conservation in Cal -

Mr. Fuley - " " Oregon.

May 14. Olive-sided Flycatcher (first time 1913)

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June 21. Skyland, Wrench Ranch

1. Warbling Vireo
2. Cassin's Vireo
3. Hutton Vireo
4. Wood Pewee
5. Calif Quail
6. House Finch (nest)
7. Purple Finch
8. Ark. Goldfinch
9. Cal. Towhee
10. Grosbeak (?)
11. Spurred Towhee
12. Lazuli Bunting
13. Western Flycatcher
14. (Western Robin) (?) Tanager
15. Interscent Warbler
16. Bush-tit
17. Point Pinon Junco
18. Song Sparrow

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19. Turkey Buzzard
20. White throated Swift (^{first seen} ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ oak tree)
21. Brewer's Blackbird
22. Russel-backed Thrush
23. Pileolated Warbler

June 23. Alma - Railway Station

1. Cliff Swallow
2. English Sparrow
3. Black Phoebe
4. Cal. Woodpecker

Idylwilde June 23-30.

1. Anna Hummingbird
2. ^{Tanager} ~~Western~~ Robin (heard many times - unmistakable)
3. Point Pinos Junco (abundant)
4. Bush-tit
5. Black-headed Grosbeak

June 1913.

June 23-30. Idyllville (contin)

6. Brown Towhee
7. Spurred Towhee
8. ^{Santa Cruz} Chestnut-backed Chickadee (abundant)
9. Wren-tit
10. Warbling Vireo
11. Hutton Vireo
12. Cassin Vireo
13. Linnet
14. Purple Finch
15. ~~Red~~ Russet-backed Thrush
16. Western Flycatcher
17. Western Bluebird - nest in hole in
apple tree. Feeding young.
18. Ark. Goldfinch
19. Cal. Jay
20. Steller Jay
21. Brewer Blackbird
22. Olive-sided Flycatcher

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June 23-30 Idylwilde (contin)

23. Lutescent Warbler
24. Pileolated Warbler
25. Lazuli Bunting
26. Louisiana Tanager (eating cherries)
27. Gardner Woodpecker
28. Cal. Quail.

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Early fall arrivals:

- Sept. 24. Intermediate Sparrow
Sept. 23. Western Gnatcatcher (heard)
Oct. 2. Golden-crowned Sparrow
Oct. 4. Fox Sparrow
Oct. 6. Dwarf Hermit Thrush
" 10. Golden-crowned Kinglet (heard)
" 7. Audubon Warbler
" 13. Ruby-crowned Kinglet
" 18. Sierra Junco
Nov. 16. Varied Thrush.

